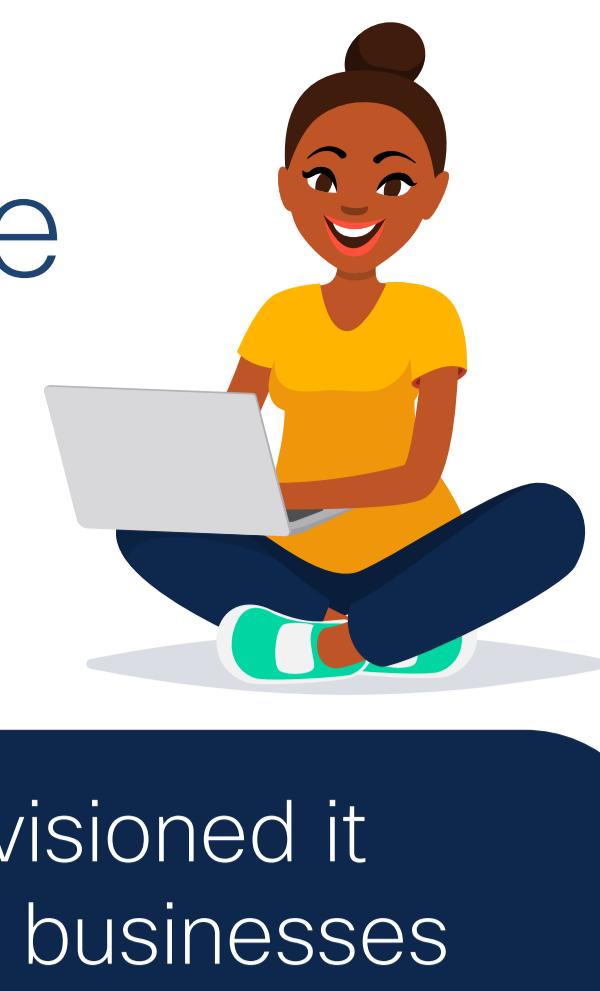


The Future of Work in the World of COVID-19: Where Do We Go from Here?



The workplace of the future as we envisioned it became reality overnight, changing how businesses operate and how the employee experience plays a role in the future of work.

According to a recent study by Freeform Dynamics:

74%

say that their businesses will in some ways **emerge stronger from this crisis**

Flexibility is here to stay, and it will benefit organizations and employees:

Survey respondents say changes below will have **increased emphasis** that will remain long term

38%

virtual teams working across locations and departments/agile teams that **form and disband around specific activities**

49%

on ensuring adequate **IT security**

49%

on **enabling flexible working hours**

47%

on **employee wellbeing and work/life balance**

“You don’t have to be in the office every day to still be effective and get your work done.”

Technology investments that may have been overlooked or under-utilized in the past are helping teams navigate the next normal:

67%

agree/strongly agree that the pandemic has **accelerated** our adoption of cloud-based communication, collaboration, and productivity tools

58%

agree/strongly agree that people are using technology that was available to them but **previously overlooked**

“The crisis has driven massive use of digital tools. Most decisions are happening through these now.”

In the post-pandemic world:

59%

say there will be

increased

employee loyalty

and retention